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VICTIM OF PNEUMONIA.

The Ravages of this Fatal Disease Claims Thos. E. Paull, a Well Known Druggist of Columbia.

DIED ON 12th ANNIVERSARY OF HIS MARRIAGE.

This week we are called upon to chronicle the death of one of the best known citizens of Adair county, a resident and business man of Columbia for more than twenty years—Thos. E. Paull, who was a friend to every body and every body was his friend.

He was a son of Henry J. and Latta Paull, and was born in Cumberland county, near Burkeville, January 31, 1888. He was married to Miss Lena Marcum, of this place, December 11, 1886. He died December 11, 1907, a victim of pneumonia, being sick only one week.

He made a profession of his faith in Christ in 1895, united with the Baptist Church, living a consistent member until the end came.

Coming to this place from his native county when quite a young man, he entered the drug store of his brother, Mr. R. F. Paull, as a clerk. He was very attentive to business, and in a few years purchased a half interest, and six or eight years ago he bought his brother's interest, and very successfully conducted the business until the day he was taken sick.

In business, he was exceedingly polite, his manner clearly showing that he took pleasure in obliging his friends, in fact, every person who visited his store. He was universally popular, and his death is not only a serious blow to his wife, children and relatives, but to the whole community.

His time was divided by two. During business hours he could be found at his store, and when not at his place of business he was with his wife and children—a devoted husband and father.

Aside from the companion of his bosom and his little children, all girls, Mr. R. F. Paull, his brother, is the greatest sufferer. Since boyhood "Rich" and "Tom," as they were familiarly called, have been inseparable—like Damon and Pythias—the property of the one being free to the other: when one was sick, the other was in misery until health was restored, hence it will be a long time before the surviving brother will become reconciled to the death of the one who has departed. The funeral services were held in the Baptist Church Thursday forenoon at 10:30, conducted by the pastor, Rev. J. C. Cook, assisted by Elds. W. K. Azbill and Z. T. Williams, the speakers paying beautiful tributes to the dead.

In testimony of the high esteem in which the deceased was held, the church was crowded with friends, many being from out of town.

After the services the casket, covered with flowers, was conveyed to the city cemetery and there deposited where the body will rest until the resurrection morn.

This community deeply feels for the sorrowing wife and the three fatherless little girls, though they are left in comfortable circumstances. Around the fireside the little ones will receive the proper training, and as they advance in years, may the Giver of all that is good keep them in the hollow of His hand.

RESOLUTIONS.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Christian Church, at its regular meeting Wednesday, adopted the following resolutions:

Whereas, our sister, Mrs. T. E. Paull, has sustained an irreparable loss in the death of her husband, and is now passing through an experience of profound sorrow. Resolved:

1 That we extend to her and her family our sincere sympathy in their great affliction.

2 That in the death of her husband, the whole community suffers the loss of a citizen esteemed by all for his sterling worth, and especially for his devotion to his family.

3 That a copy of these resolutions be furnished to the local papers and a copy be sent to the bereaved family.

By order of the Society.

* Mrs. Susan A. Fisher, widow of the late S. H. Fisher returns her sincere

thanks to the many who rendered aid during the sickness and death of her husband. Her neighbors were exceedingly kind and considerate and showed their love in time of need and distress which is duly appreciated by the surviving members of the family.

BURNED TO DEATH.

Mrs. Taylor Maupin met death at the Russell Springs last Friday by her clothing catching fire. She was alone in her residence and the blaze in the room attracted the attention of persons on the outside. When the deceased was reached she was burned into a crisp. She was quite an old lady and the mother of Mrs. H. O. Smith, a former Columbus, but who now resides at Greensburg.

DIED IN NEW MEXICO.

Remains Will Be Interred in Cemetery at this Place.

FUNERAL SERVICES BY REV. W. H. C. SANDIDGE

The intelligence of the death of Mr. Wallace Grissom which occurred at Elida, New Mexico, was received here last Saturday afternoon. His death occurred in the forenoon. The deceased was about twenty years old and was a son of Doctor and Mrs. W. T. Grissom, of Bliss, this county.

He left here last August, for Elida, New Mexico, hoping that the climate in that country would be beneficial to his health, pulmonary trouble having already developed. For awhile he seemed to improve, but his friends soon discovered that the relief was only temporary, and that he could live but a short time. His parents went to his bedside two months ago, and were with him when the end came.

The remains will reach here this (Wednesday) afternoon, and tomorrow the funeral services will be held at the Presbyterian church, conducted by Rev. W. H. C. Sandidge. The interment will be in the city cemetery.

Wallace was a young man of excellent character, intelligent and dutiful, the pride of his parents, who are almost heart broken. His death has also brought grief to his former associates and schoolmates, who were very fond of him.

The sympathy of the people of Adair county is with Doctor and Mrs. Grissom in this great loss and sorrow.

G. T. SHIRILL DEAD.

The subject of this note was born and reared in Taylor county, removing to this county thirty-five years ago. About four years ago his health began to fail, and last year he removed to Clyde, Texas, thinking that he would be benefited. There was no relief and he gradually declined until Sunday the 8th inst., when his life work ended.

He was better known in the Milltown country than any other portion of Adair county, where he resided for many years. He was a good citizen and had been a consistent member of the Baptist Church since boyhood. He was a citizen of Columbia about three years, and until taken sick was a very industrious man, who had many friends.

He was sixty-five years old and a victim of consumption. He leaves five children. Peace to his memory, sympathy for the surviving members of the family.

Program for the Adair County Medical Society, to be held on the second Thursday in January, 1908—10 a. m. Diphtheria, J. C. Gose, Knifley; Pneumonia, R. Y. Hindman, Columbia; Observations of the State Medical Association, U. L. Taylor, Columbia; Rheumatism, William Blair, Glenfork; Should a doctor dispense his own medicines, W. F. Cartwright, Columbia; Hepatic Abscess, J. H. Grady, Columbia; How and when to use calamel, H. B. Simpson, Breeding; Management of Brights disease, N. M. Hancock, Cane Valley.

U. L. Taylor,
O. M. Russell,
R. Y. Hindman,
Committee.

A general assortment of holiday goods at Page's 5-11.

MISS SALLIE PATTERSON

She Becomes a Victim to Fatal Pneumonia, Her Illness Lasting But a Few Days.

DIED MONDAY AFTERNOON AT 5 O'CLOCK.

Feelings of profoundest sorrow spread over this community last Monday afternoon about 5:30 when the sad intelligence reached here, announcing the death of Miss Sallie Patterson, a popular and highly respected daughter of Mrs. Belle Patterson, the proprietor of the Patterson Hotel, Jamestown.

She was sick only a few days, being stricken with that obdurate disease, pneumonia.

The deceased was about twenty-two years old, and was a favorite with all her associates. She possessed a very pleasing disposition, and was the life of her home, the idol of her mother and sisters and her aged grandmother.

Her death not only brings sorrow to friends in Russell and Adair counties, but to many homes in the State where her former schoolmates reside. Two years ago she finished her education in Lexington, and only a short time ago she met a number of former school mates, and together they made a trip to the Jamestown Exposition, Washington, D. C., and to several other noted points.

About the time she was grown she made a profession of her faith in Christ, united with the Christian Church, and was faithful to the end.

The News desires to extend its deepest sympathy to the heart-broken mother and sisters, and all other relatives and friends who keenly feel the loss of this bright and lovable young girl. May the God of love comfort them in this trying and sorrowful hour.

Funeral services will be held this (Wednesday) morning, conducted by Rev. A. R. Kasey, of this place, and the interment will be in the Jamestown cemetery.

The death of Mr. S. H. Fisher, on the second day of this month at his home on Green river, removed one of Adair county's best citizens. Mr. Fisher was stricken with paralysis last June and his death had been expected for some time. He was 81 years of age but was an unusually active man of his age until last June. He was an upright, honorable and industrious gentleman and had many friends who loved him for his many Christian virtues. He leaves a wife and several grown children to who we extend our sympathy in this sad hour.

MARRIED SUNDAY.

Dr. L. C. Herren, Liberty, Married to Miss Dora Beck, Cumberland County.

THEY WILL RESIDE AT LIBERTY, KY.

Last Sunday forenoon at 11 o'clock, Dr. L. C. Herren, a prominent physician of Liberty, Ky., was married to Miss Dora Beck, of Cumberland county. The ceremony was performed by Rev. A. Heck, father of the bride in the presence of a number of relatives and friends. The attendants were Mr. Elam Harris and Miss Myrta Phelps, of Esto, Russell county.

Soon after the ceremony the bride party left, reaching Columbia for late supper, and on following morning Dr. and Mrs. Herren started for Liberty where they will permanently reside. Besides being a physician, the groom is prominent in the business affairs of Casey county. The bride was a popular school teacher and has just closed a school at Esto.

The best wishes of the News is extended.

Pem. Spencer, who was tried at the last term of the Adair circuit court and fined fifty dollars, was arrested by deputy sheriff Frank Winfrey on a capias, a few nights ago and lodged in jail.

We understand that Mr. W. B. Helm, the machinist at Esto, Russell

county, will remove to Columbia. He has everything necessary for conducting first-class machine shop, and he and his family will be given a hearty welcome. Columbia certainly needs a machine shop.

SOCIAL GATHERING.

Miss Lorena Harrison, of Ashley, Ill., was the guest of honor at a delightful party given by her sister, Mrs. W. A. Coffey, on the evening of the 9th.

The pretty home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Coffey was the scene of much merriment last Monday night when a number of Columbia's young ladies responded to invitations, all dressed as "little girls." They were entertained with contests, recitations, fishing for fortunes, passing through the dark chamber, and lastly a candy pulling. Miss Frances Jones received the prize in the contest. Mrs. Ellen Wheat, Mrs. James Garnett, Jr., and Mrs. Jo Coffey, Jr., assisted in entertaining the "little folks," and the evening passed all too soon. Mrs. Coffey's guests:

Miss Shannon, Miss Thomas, Jennie McFarland, Kate Walker, Lina Rosenfield, Bess Holladay, Edna Lewis, Mary Miller, Dimple Conover, Myrtle Myers, Katherine Vardeman, Frances Jones, Madge Rosenfield, Bess Rowe. Miss Harrison returned to her home Wednesday, having made many friends during her short stay.

LANDED THE JOB.

It is gratifying to the friends of Mr. W. F. Hancock, who has been a very efficient deputy circuit clerk for the past two years, to know that he has landed a clerkship in the Auditor's office at a salary of \$1,500 per year. He was notified of his appointment by Auditor James last Saturday night. Mr. Hancock is well qualified for the position, and there is not a doubt but he will give entire satisfaction. Mr. Hancock and wife will leave for Frankfort in a few weeks, carrying the best wishes of this community.

SERIOUSLY CUT WITH A KNIFE.

Serious cutting affair occurred at the home of Hugh E. Giles, on the Stanford road, just this side of the Dag Hill, last Thursday night. A singing was in progress when a difficulty came up between Frank Burton and Hugh Giles. J. B. Pile was present, but it is claimed that he was not in the trouble. Giles was flourishing his knife, making threats, and Sam Williams pushed him out the door. He came back into the room, and grabbing Pile, cut him twice very seriously in the back, one gash being eight inches long. Friday morning Pile was thought to be dangerously hurt and his father and Sam Williams came to Columbia, the latter swearing out a warrant for Giles' arrest.

PROVISIONS OF T. E. PAULL'S WILL.

Mr. Thomas E. Paull, who died last week, left a will dated February 2, 1900. The contents of it are about as follows: He directs first, that at his death his funeral expenses and all just debts be paid. He names his brother, Mr. R. F. Paull, as his executor without bond, and gives him unlimited time to wind up his estate. When all the property has been converted into cash, the wife's part is to be turned over to her. The children's parts, the executor is to keep and manage for them until they become twenty-one years of age. The executor is also made the guardian of the children, and he is to use of their moneys what is necessary for their support and education.

The drug business left by Mr. T. E. Paull will be continued at the same stand. Mr. R. F. Paull will have the management and Mr. Fred Hill will continue as clerk. Mr. Paull is an experienced druggist and Mr. Hill is fully competent to fill prescriptions, etc.

Isaac Guffy and Jacob Marcum fought with pistols in Wayne county. Marcum was killed and Guffy fled. When the news reached here officers were in pursuit.

Mr. James Holladay has perhaps slaughtered the largest hog in the county. It was killed last Thursday, weighing 680 pounds net.

COMING EVENT.

Mr. T. A. Holladay and Miss Lula S. Breeding to Wed Thursday the 19th Inst.

RELATIVES AND A FEW FRIENDS TO BE PRESENT.

We take great pleasure in announcing the approaching marriage of Mr. Thos. A. Holladay to Miss Lula Stone Breeding which will occur at the home of the intended bride at high noon next Thursday, the 19th inst. Eld. Z. T. Williams will solemnize the rites in his usual and impressive language. The attendants will be Mr. Philetus Dunbar and Miss Alice Murrell. Only relatives and a few intimate friends will be present.

Soon after the ceremony the happy couple will leave for the home of the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Holladay, where they will remain two weeks before taking up their residence on the farm known as the Anderson Holladay property, three miles from Columbia, on Jamestown road.

The intended bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Breeding. She is an attractive and popular young lady and last year she was a student in the Lindsey-Wilson, a favorite in the institution.

The intended groom is one of Adair county's best young men and is exceedingly popular with all his associates. He is an industrious farmer and, seemingly, he has a bright future before him.

In advance of the ceremony, the News desires to extend its best wishes to this very deserving couple, hoping that only happiness and long leases on life are in store for them.

THE RECITAL.

Notwithstanding the evening was very disagreeable large audience greeted Miss Lucile Shannon's class in elocution at the Lindsey-Wilson last Saturday evening. The exercises consisted of readings, drills and a play. Those who attended say that it was the most enjoyable entertainment given in Columbia this season. There were quite a number on the program, every one acquitting him or herself in a most creditable manner. Miss Penland's class furnished the music.

Miss Penland's class will give a recital at the Lindsey-Wilson next Thursday evening. This class will be assisted by Miss Shannon's class in elocution. Everybody cordially invited.

RECEPTION.

Mr. John Palmer Darnall and Mr. C. Fredric Ohlenmacher request the presence of the friends and patrons of the M. & F. High School on Friday evening, December the 20th, 8 p. m. at the M. and F. High School Columbia, Ky.

Dr. D. McDonald preached two very interesting sermons in this place last Sunday. In the forenoon he filled the pulpit at the Methodist church and in the evening he preached at the Presbyterian church.

DIED AT EIGHTY-THREE.

Mr. Wyatt Smith, a highly respected citizen of Adair county, died at his late residence a few miles from town, last Monday night. He was eighty-three years old and had been on the decline for several years. He leaves a wife and seven or eight children, three of whom reside in Texas. The deceased was a quiet, lawabiding citizen, an honest gentleman, and will be greatly missed not only by his wife and children, but by the entire neighborhood in which he resided for many years. As we go to press arrangements for the funeral had not been announced. The deceased was the father of Mrs. W. C. Murrell, this place. Everybody is in sympathy with the surviving relatives.

Mr. John Sandusky has moved into his new dwelling in the Payne addition. Mr. Sandusky has accepted a position in the plaining mill of Myers and Sandusky.

AFTER ACTIVE CAREER

John G. Roach Succumbs to Stroke of Paralysis.

NATIVE OF GREEN COUNTY.

Surrounded by the members of his family, John Gaines Roach, aged sixty-two years, retired soldier, politician, distiller and financier, passed away at 8 o'clock last evening at his apartments in "The Parsons," in Bonnycastle Lane, in the Highlands. He had been in declining health for three years. Last Thursday he was stricken with apoplexy, and his condition gradually grew worse until Sunday, when he was stricken with paralysis, his entire left side being affected. He never regained consciousness and sank to the end.

The funeral of Mr. Roach will take place from the Parsons Apartments, at 2:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon, and the interment will be in Cave Hill cemetery.

The pallbearers are L. O. Cox, Thomas Wilson, Hardy Burton, Garland Mourning and Herman Bolkerding.

Mr. Roach was a native of Green county, Ky., and spent the earlier part of his life there. While a student at Georgetown College he was converted to the Baptist church, and remained a devout and active member for the remainder of his life.

Mr. Roach was among the first to respond to the call to arms of the Confederacy at the outbreak of the Civil War. He served throughout the greater part of the hostilities under the command of General Morgan, and was captured with the gallant leader at Buffington Island, W. Va., at the termination of the famous raid through Ohio. Until the end of the war he was a prisoner at the Federal prisons, first with Morgan at Columbus, Ohio, and later at Camp Douglas, Chicago.

Mr. Roach successfully superintended coal mines in the Eastern section of the State for three years following the war, resigning the position to enter into the wholesale whisky business in Louisville with his father under the firm name of Groves, Roach & Co. Three years later the father and son bought out the interest of the Senior member of the firm and continued a thriving business for thirty years under the name of John G. Roach & Co. He was married in 1870 to Miss Sallie Neill, a daughter of Matthew Neill, then one of the most prominent manufacturers of Louisville. She with two sons, Neill Roach, president of the Neill Roach Dairy Company, and Ethric Roach, of the State Mutual Life Insurance Company, survive him. Mr. Roach was never connected with any fraternal organization, but was an enthusiastic member of the Kentucky Confederate Veterans. Though he had always been opposed to accepting public office he was prevailed upon by friends to serve one term in the Louis-

ville School Board. He was a member of the Broadway Baptist church and was known for his many acts of charity.—Louisville Times.

GOV. BECKHAM'S VALEDICTORY.

Yesterday Mr. J. C. W. Beckham relinquished the office of Governor and from now on he will appear before the public as the Democratic nominee for the office of United States Senator. The Democratic party has a majority in the coming Legislature, but whether hate and envy can defeat the party nominee only time can tell.

In speaking of the last few weeks of Gov. Beckham's administration, however, the Evening Post desires to refer to the peculiar stress under which Gov. Beckham has been and to state the fact that he has borne the pressure well.

Gov. Beckham is the party nominee, but the party majority in the Legislature is small. Therefore every Democratic legislator felt called upon to ask him for something during the last days of his administration. Most of these requests were for pardons, and in many cases they amounted practically to demands Gov. Beckham was frequently told that unless he granted certain pardons he would lose votes.

For instance, the Courier-Journal, the newspaper most active in opposing the Governor, tells us that when Mr. Beckham declined to grant a pardon to a prominent citizen of Lexington "he lost one Democratic vote."

All this is distinctly to Mr. Beckham's credit. Although a candidate, he refused to become a parson broker. He disdained to swap pardons for votes, and whether defeated or not the fact remains that he did nothing improper during the last days of his official incumbency, and this in face of the fact that he could have profited largely by improper actions.—Louisville Post.

Over six hundred letters were received Saturday by the secretary of the Newport Retail Grocers' Association in response to a proposal to form a state organization to secure what they considered needed legislation. Several days ago 2,000 letters were sent to grocers in all parts of the state asking them to join. The claim is made that grocers are without protection since the repeal of the garnishee law. The organization will appear before the Legislature and urge the reenactment of the law in a modified form.

A Real Wonderland.

South Dakota, with its rich silver mines, bonanza farms, wide ranges and strange natural formations, is a veritable wonderland. At Mound City, in the home of Mrs. E. D. Clapp, a wonderful case of healing has lately occurred. Her son seemed near death, with lung and throat trouble. "Exhausting coughing spells occurred every five minutes," writes Mrs. Clapp, "when I began giving Dr. King's New Discovery, the great medicine, that saved his life, and completely cured him." "Guaranteed for coughs and colds, throat and lung troubles, by T. E. Paull, druggist, 50c and \$1. Trial bottle free.

THE GOVERNOR AND THE LAW.

The inaugural address of Gov. Willson, aside from its commendable brevity and gracefully turned phrases of compliment, differed in but one respect from the set form of address so loyally adhered to by his predecessors. In that one respect, however, the Governor's inaugural has the force of individuality. Taking into consideration the fact that Hopkinsville is the recent scene of an orgy of incendiarism and lawlessness; that Lexington is disturbed with the dread of like experience; that the spirit which would deny to the individual the right to sell the product of his labor has shown itself at Maysville, and that, throughout the whole of the tobacco-growing districts of Kentucky, life and property are at all times subject to attack, the Governor must have fully realized that there was to be no going back when he declared: "The law in this State does not request, but commands, obedience from its servants. It declares that no one shall trespass upon the rights of another, and that every one shall, in peace and safely, enjoy all that is his own. It also covenants to all those who shall disobey the law a speedy and sure punishment, and so certain that no one shall dare to risk it." What measures the Governor shall see fit to employ to make good his covenant with the people of the State that the law shall again be enforced in Kentucky and the rights of its citizens given protection in all parts of the State is a responsibility that rests with him.—Louisville Times.

THE GENTLE CYNIC.

One man in a thousand feels that he is appreciated, and that man may really be overestimated.

It is said that wealth doesn't bring happiness, but most of us are willing to try the experiment.

After all, there isn't a whole lot of difference between entering upon a career and getting a job.

The umbrella prefers a rainy night for a hold-up, but the footpad isn't so particular.

The social whirl is apt to make a girl giddy.

The man who has no music in his soul might try a shoe horn.

Adam looked out for number one, and his descendants have been doing the same thing ever since.

A fool jumps at conclusions, the wise man jumps away from them.

It is hard to preach total abstinence when lemonade costs more than beer.

Many a fellow has fallen in love with a peach; only to discover Fate has handed him a lemon.

The fellow who always has his hammer out is seldom the one to nail a lie.

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LONGSTREET.

We are having some fine weather with the exceptions of it being very cold and the farmers are getting down to business again.

Mr. W. C. Bradley and Miss Evona Bradley, Miss Winnie Bradley, Miss Lou and Loren Bradley, of Caintown were the guests of Mrs. S. E. and J. W. Bradley, of this place, last week. This is the first time they have been with us for over three years. We hope they will not stay away so long next time.

W. M. Swanson and family, of this place, moved out and left us. We mourn the loss of a good neighbor.

Mr. Leonard Wilson, of Russell Springs, was here one day last week on business.

S. B. Tarter, of Brady, Ky., passed through here one day last week enroute to Russell Springs to sell his crop of corn and fodder. He has moved from this section of country and think it cheaper to sell than to move same, as he can get plenty of corn where he moved.

Mr. F. T. Rexroat passed through here one day last week enroute to Russell Springs to sell a pair of mules. His intention for selling out, is to make his future home in Oklahoma.

S. B. Wade, of this place, finished gathering corn last week. He reported one hundred pounds cribbed and it is of the best quality.

D. S. Wade, of this place, exchanged mules with Zolly Roy last week for the purpose of matching. He now has a match team.

The Rev. J. S. Smith, who is just in from Texas, was taken very sick one day last week at Mr. James Bernard's. It is thought that he will recover in a few days.

Mr. Willis Wilson, the father of W. M. and J. W. Wilson, of this place, is very ill. It is thought there is no chance for his recovery. Mr. Wilson is a good, kind father and a good neighbor and will be missed by all.

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MILLTOWN.

The school at Sulphur Spring, being taught by Mr. Rhue Squires, will close Friday. Mr. Squires is a popular young man, and the people of this community regret very much to give him up.

Miss Nellie Mercer and Ivan Patterson were visiting Miss Mollie Caldwell, of Portland, Saturday night.

J. E. Johnston is having a new barn erected on his farm.

A very successful meeting, conducted by Rev. Levi, closed last Sunday. There were several additions to the church.

The Thanksgiving dinner given at Mrs. J. M. Thomas' was largely attended.

Misses Emma and Birt Thomas and Rhue Squires visited Miss Kate Calhoun Wednesday night.

Mr. Will Hindman has just

completed his new barn.

Geo. Butler sold his place to Mr. Handy, of Hart county, for \$912.50.

Misses Kate Squires and Emma Thomas attended the social given at Miss Pearl Hindman's last Thursday night.

Little Joe, a son of Luther Thomas, formerly of this place, but now of Denison, Texas, while playing with a pistol, accidentally shot and killed himself last Saturday.

Cleve Thomas and friend, Mr. Ernest Ball, of Corbin, were visiting the family of Mrs. J. M. Thomas this week.

LULA.

Well as the election is over and every body has settled down to business, I will try to write a few items.

Health of this part, at this writing, is generally good.

The weather is more favorable this week, and business has started up lively.

Corn gathering is on hands at this date, and farmers report good crops.

"Corn is worth \$2.50 per barrel delivered from the field.

Wheat is looking fine.

T. R. Morrison was at Burnside a few days ago on business.

J. S. Dunbar, has sold his property to Jones & Cooper for \$1100. Dunbar will move his family to Greasy Creek in the near future, where he has engaged in the mercantile business.

Our school is progressing nicely under the management of Mr. Charlie Guthrie.

Our merchants are enjoying a good trade at this writing.

Mr. J. A. McKinney has rented Mr. Frank Virgle's farm in Horse Shoe Bottom and will move soon.

Mr. W. P. Vaughan has moved to Liberty where he has purchased a interest in the Vaughan Rolling mill.

Kyle Bros., of Tennessee, have a nice lot of logs in the Cumberland river ready for Nashville.

THE SCHOOLMA'AM.

A "schoolma'am" is rather to be chosen than great riches. She is the child's second best friend, presuming that the child is so fortunate as to have a good mother. If it has not, then she is its best friend. There are 'old maid,' school teachers who come nearer to fulfilling many of the requirements of an ideal mother to more children than any half dozen married women we have ever met outside of a schoolroom. Sweet, gentle, saintly souls are they who, thorough their long, long years of school work give to every one of the many boys and girls who come into their zone of influence a hopeful, helpful, helping portion of their sunshine and their songs. They teach not only "readin', 'ritin' and 'rithmetic," but the morals and the manners that make the men and women who lift the world toward right thinking.

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DEMOCRATIC TICKET

For United States Senate—Gov. J. C. W. Beckham

Governor Wilson was inaugurated under a dark sky, and the darkness of the day was but a shadow of the real conditions that confront him and his administration in bringing peace and prosperity in the tobacco districts of the commonwealth, where both life and property are threatened by mobs. His open declaration that he would be Governor of all the people, and not be swayed from the path of justice and duty by party passion is highly commendable, and we trust that he and his party associates will live up to this patriotic position. Kentucky's cup of bitterness has been too full, and her vile of wrath too much in evidence to promote that love and unity that should exist with true Kentuckians. The campaign with all of its inconsistencies, should be buried in the grave of forgetfulness. The arder and enthusiasm of the majority party, showing a minority in the last conflict, should cease to be discordant to an upright, honest and progressive administrative effort, such as the Governor has faithfully promised. The News hopes to see good come from the present administration; it hopes to see peace and order restored in the disorderly districts, and love and good will prevail from the Big Sandy to the Mississippi. The people have been too long under the fire of partisan passion; too ready to stand and defend any means or measures advocated or resorted to by political leaders. The stronger party has been de-throned, for the time being, and the weaker put in charge. Patriotism should now assert itself, not only with the rulers, the party in power, but with every true citizen of the State. It will require all the love to obliterate the hatred, and all the patriotism to overcome mean partisan passion that has broken faith with all that is good and wholesome for party victory. Her's hoping that the Governor will be true to his pledges, and that blessings may rest on every section of the State.

The proposition for the State to aid in building better roads is one worthy of serious consideration. Money could not be spent for improvements that would yield so much, and a tax could not be levied that would come back with so much good to the people who would pay it. A small State tax for public roads would yield a good sum, and if properly distributed would give encouragement, and result in great improvements. True, the cities would not share directly from this tax, but the building and developing of the country would largely repay for this special tax since all roads lead to

town. A State road tax could be made to be the mainspring of great road building in the State, and we trust that this proposition will receive the attention it deserves at this Legislative session.

Congressman Edwards, of this district, has come to the front in the aid of prohibition, in offering a bill to aid States in prohibiting the sale of spirituous, vinous and malt liquors, as follows:

"Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, that all spirituous, vinous and malt liquors transported into any State or Territory, or remaining therein for use, consumption, sale or storage therein, shall, upon arrival in such State or Territory, be subject to the operation and effect of the laws of such State or Territory enacted in the exercise of its police powers to the same extent, and in the same manner as though such spirituous, vinous and malt liquors had been produced in such State or Territory, and shall not be exempt therefrom by reason of being introduced therein, in original packages or otherwise."

This bill is one that should enlist the hearty, enthusiastic and immediate support of prohibitionists. Mr. Edwards should not be left to fight this battle alone, for it means more than any measure yet introduced. In addition to the above, Congressmen Bennett and Langley, of this State, have offered a bill prohibiting the Federal Government from issuing licenses in dry districts. The tremendous scope and effects of such legislation is apparent, and if the people are in earnest, who have fought so effectively in the past for the suppression of liquor, fail to back up the Congressmen from this State on these measures, the failure, if they fail, must rest on the people's indifference and stupidity. We do not propose to discuss the merits of the above mentioned bills, but merely to call the attention of the people to the importance of aiding in their passage. The News has on various occasions, stated that such legislation was needed; that it would be the strongest and most effective stroke that could be made to arrest the sale and use of intoxicants. We trust that the people of this section will meet and give our Congressman their moral support in such a way as not to be doubted or misleading.

The inauguration of Governor Willson drew an immense throng to Frankfort last Tuesday. The ceremonies were simple but impressive. The Governor made a speech, pledging himself to uphold law and order in Kentucky. Governor Beckham upon retiring was presented with a silver set, numbering many pieces, by citizens of Frankfort. He was also presented with a handsome clock. The silver set is to descend to his son, John Cresh Wickliff Beckham and the clock to his daughter, the only child born in the old mansion.

President Roosevelt has decided for the third time not to take the third term nomination: This is supposed to be a quietus, and we hope the pressure will not necessitate the fourth announcement. Since the panic struck the country Roosevelt stock has been on the wane, and at this writing it is way below par.

Mrs. Nicholas Longworth, a daughter of President Roosevelt, was operated on for appendicitis last week. The operation was successful and the patient is doing well.

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Mr. John W. Whipp, who was one of the most prominent men of Casey county, died at his late home, in Liberty, a few days ago. For many years he was a leading merchant of his town. He was an active Democrat, and will be greatly missed in state and county politics.

Teddy said he wouldn't.

Really because he couldn't.

Taft has not so much to say,

Because he thinks another way.

At any rate time will tell.

While Foraker cuts another swell,

And Gov. Hughes of New York State

Will be the one on the State—

Shakespeare.

The national Grand Army of the Republic will be held next year in Toledo, Ohio, and the date is August 31 until September 7.

The two Senators from the new State, Oklahoma, are Thomas P. Gore and Robert L. Owen.

Where are the third terms—after Taft, of course.

The dog tax law is in danger—it has been threatened.

There will soon be lively times in Frankfort.

BELLHAM.

Slaughtering hogs is all the go in this neighborhood.

Mr. Dick Hutchinson is confined to his room with a hurt back.

Sam Smith is very sick with sore throat.

Uncle John Cundiff is suffering with a mashed hand which he mashed while fixing a fireplace at Mr. Albert Murrell.

Mr. George Cundiff, of Cane Valley, was visiting Perry Cundiff one night last week.

Miss Kate Squires was visiting Miss Pearl Hindman, of Milltown, last week.

Rev. Will Dudgeon will preach at Hutchinson school house the fourth Saturday night and, Sunday at 11 o'clock.

Miss Bettie Cundiff closed her school at this place the 13th.

Frank Shepherd sold his crop of tobacco to R. L. Faulkner 44

Myers Roller Mill!

Flour is the staff of Life
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WE don't use any thing but the very best of wheat from which to make our Flour. We have the very latest improved machinery for cleaning wheat and the Best Machinery on the market to make the Flour. All this, together with thirty-five years experience in the Mill business, you can rest assured that when you get Flour made at the COLUMBIA ROLLER MILL you get the very Best and Purest that can be made. I will always pay the

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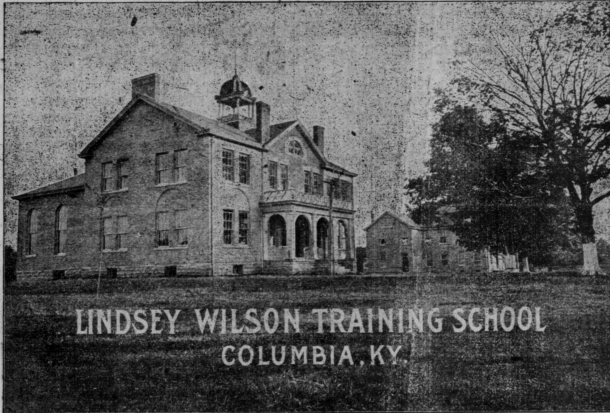
and 7cts. Henry Simpson sold to Phil Dudgeon, of Coburg, his crop of tobacco for 4 and 7cts. and J. R. Todd his crop to R. L. Faulkner for \$240. James Woodrum sold to the same party \$190.

J. P. Todd one wagon, to Ivan Bennett for \$40.

Carl Cape arrived from Ind. last Monday—Ernest Cundiff's farmer, and said there was no place like home in old Ky.—where every body greets him with a smile. The people out there are not like Kentuckians.

T. B. Clark bought Garnett Smith's farm for sixteen hundred dollars.

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REMARKABLE HORSE.

Mr. W. D. King, our popular dry goods drummer, who is known to every merchant of this part of the State, and a large part of Tennessee, has a span of horses to which he is much attached, not alone for their fine appearance, but for their valuable qualities and fine sense. Especially is this true of one called Dan. Dan is not only a good puller, true in every emergency, but he displays much love for children; showing a fondness for them far above the average steed. In this particular Mr. King has noticed him on many occasions. Not only is Dan a lovable animal toward young folks, but he is a fine bird horse—practically as good as the genuine setter. Dan is on the lookout for birds all the time when passing through woods or places where they are supposed to be found, and on several occasions he found them. Just as soon as he discovers a covey, he stops. Last Saturday he discovered a flock near the road, and immediately stopped. Mr. King fired on them killing one or two,

which he got and showed Dan, mounted his wagon and his horse was contented to continue his journey. This has occurred several times so Mr. King says, within the last thirty days.

MAMMOTH BRONZE.

From the pens of Mrs. Owens, of Shelby county, prize winners at the State Fair. Address J. T. Johnston, Cane Valley, Ky. 5 St.

Jo Thomas, Denison, Texas, a little six year old son of Mr. Arthur Thomas, accidentally let a run go off a few days ago, killing him instantly. The little fellow was a grandson of Mr. Joseph M. Thomas, who lived near Milltown, a few months ago. The news of the killing of this bright little boy brought much sorrow to his many surviving relatives in Adair county.

FOR SALE.

A new 7 room, two-story residence, good well and all necessary outbuildings, in Columbia. See Geo. T. Flowers, Jr.

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My farm of 160 acres, one mile west of Eunice, Ky., and just below Neatsville, on Green river. Good island land good bottom, second bottom and nice uplands, plenty of timber, two moderate houses, outbuildings, well watered. Close to church, school and post-office. For further information call by phone or address W. G. McKinley, Eunice Ky.

FOR SALE.

Large gray bronze turkeys address Mrs. Sallie B. Wilson Mody, Ky.

A CARD OF THANKS.

I want to thank my many good friends and neighbors for their kindness shown me during the sickness and death of my wife. J. D. Pennycook.

J. W. Jackman has added groceries to his line of goods. 6-2t

PERSONAL

Mrs. Frank Dohoney, Milltown, visited in Columbia last Thursday.

Mrs. G. W. Staples spent a day in Louisville last week.

Miss Frances Garnett was quite sick several days of last week.

Mr. Forest Bradshaw, assistant cashier of the bank at Burnside, is visiting his parents in this county.

Mr. Frank Hill, Monticello, was here to attend the funeral of his uncle, Mr. T. E. Paull.

Miss Nellie Clark, of Bowling Green arrived a few days ago to visit her sister, Mrs. C. M. Russell.

Miss Vallie Strange, Burkesville, is spending a few weeks with her sister, Mrs. Sam Beck and brother, Mr. J. C. Strange.

Mr. John Wallace, who is making his home in Oklahoma, is in Adair county until after Christmas.

Mr. O. B. Bertram, an attorney of Jamestown, was here last Thursday.

Mr. W. R. Lyon was here soliciting orders Friday.

Miss Kate Vardeman was quite sick a day or two of last week.

Miss Ada May Jones, Jamestown, is visiting her cousin, Miss Katie Murrell.

Mr. F. J. Ramsey, Campbellsville, was here a few days ago.

Miss Sallie Diddle is visiting her brother, Mr. John Diddle, of Gradyville, this week.

Mr. Geo. R. Miller is at home until after the holidays.

Hon. Geo. Nell left Monday for Beaunavista, Fla., where he expects to spend the winter. We trust the change of climate will be beneficial to his health.

Mr. Jo Russell and wife arrived from Nashville last Saturday night. It is our understanding that they will permanently reside in Columbia.

Mr. W. C. Butler, son of Mr. D. H. Butler, is visiting relatives and friends in Columbia. He left here six years ago with his parents for Sacramento, McLean county, but for the past three years their home has been in Owensboro, where the father of young Butler is engaged in the planing mill business.

Mr. H. C. Wolford has been on the sick list for a few days.

Mr. W. C. Grider and family arrived last Wednesday from Esto. They are now domiciled in their home on "Boomer Heights."

Dr. W. B. Helm, Miss Ada Henderson and Misses Ruth and Blanche Helm, Thurlow, Green county, visited the News office last Monday.

Van and Gus Dunbar, Knifey, were here Monday.

Mrs. Rounds and daughter, Ione, will leave in a few days to enter school at Russell Springs. Several of Mrs. Rounds pupils intend going there to continue under her instructions.

Mr. L. T. Neat and wife have returned from Elida, New Mexico.

Mr. Ira Jones and wife, of St. Louis, will visit Mr. Jones' sister, Mrs. J. C. Cook, this week.

Messrs. L. C. Winfrey and Rollin Browning are yet quite sick, but are improving.

Mrs. L. C. Hurt, who is a traveling saleslady, is at home for the holidays.

Mr. Marvin Young was on the sick list a few days of last week.

Mrs. Geo. T. Flowers, Jr., is visiting her parents in Wayne county.

PAID LIST.

The following persons have handed in their subscriptions since last issue:

John W. Thompson, Geo. Flowers, J. F. Cabell, John W. Morrison, Allen Shearer, W. B. Rowe, C. H. Yates, Mrs. Georgia Shelton, H. P. Barger, J. F. Reynolds, W. I. Fesse, R. H. Weatherford, S. D. Johnston, R. H. Cooper, D. C. Wheeler, H. G. Chilson, Forest Bradshaw, R. L. Rounds, W. C. Breeding, Luther Williams, D. B. Wheat, J. C. Popplewell, J. G. Stantor, S. A. Antle, J. H. Jackman, W. W. Yates, R. H. Montgomery, Mrs. Bessie Banks, E. R. Baker, Chas. Sutton, W. N. Grider, B. O. Hurt, S. W. Bailey, Susan Rippetoe, E. R. Young.

Triplet & Eubank are now ready to supply persons who want Christmas goods. 5-2t

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Set of furs: The owner can have them by describing and paying for this notice. 6-1t Dr. J. H. Grady.

Triplet & Eubank's place of business is connected by phone. Ring up. (5-2t)

Judge Junius Hancock bought of W. A. Brockman and brother, Glenville, Ky., 12 hogs, averaging 232 net at 5¢; He also bought of B. L. Conover 2 hogs averaging 150 net at 5¢ cts.

See the big fifty pound stick of candy at Young Bros.—next door to W. L. Walker. 5-2t

G. T. Clark bought Garnett Smith's farm last Friday. Price, 1,600.

Merchants of Columbia have been quite busy for two weeks, disposing of Christmas supplies. They have a few days yet before the appearance of Santa Claus, and by that time their shelves and show windows will be empty.

See Triplet & Eubank's fresh stock of goods—every thing new and attractive. 5-2t

Hatfield Bros., of Russell Springs, informed us that the outlook for the coming year is very promising, having secured the best of instructors.

FOR SALE.

A new seven room, two story dwelling on Boomer Heights. Apply to Ray Conover. 6-4t

J. W. Jackman has a fresh supply of candies and groceries. Call and see him. 6-2t

The next term of the Adair circuit court begins the third Monday in next month. Sheriff Patten and his deputies are busy, and when the bell taps they will be up with their business.

For fine cigars and tobaccos, go Triplet & Eubank 5-2t

The three brick business houses at Russell Springs, with the exception of the wood work is nearing completion. They are magnificent buildings, quite a credit to this growing and enterprising town.

Born, to the wife of B. G. Redman, on the 10th a son.

The big fifty pound stick of candy is attracting attention at Young Bros 5-2t

Rodgers 1847 knives and forks \$4.50 at Sinclair's. 6-2t

Remember Sinclair is making low prices on Men's and Boys' overcoats. 6-2t

Born, to the wife of "Bud" Parson, December 11, a son.

Six days until Christmas. Have your present ready.

RUSSELL SPRINGS.

Some real estate owned by the heirs of Rev. L. Dehart, deceased, was sold at Jamestown last Monday. Both the farm and town property were bought by J. F. Humble who will move to Russell Springs for the winter.

L. P. Hurt, a prominent farmer and stock dealer of Montpelier, has just completed the delivery of 13 tons of hay sold to J. E. Snow.

Rev. B. F. Voils has moved to his new residence near the Methodist church.

Mrs. R. Neathery sold to W. D. Stephens one of the largest hogs that has been seen here for some time. Price fcts.

Several people from here attended court at Jamestown last Monday.

We are happy to see so many students making arrangements to enter the winter term of the academy. It has been rumored that board would be higher this year, but a number of the best families have made special arrangements to care for student boarders, and at the same old rate \$2.00 per week. So come right along students, we are always glad to have you among us.

ADVICE TO HUNTERS.

An exchange gives this advice to sportsmen:

Don't ever attempt to crawl through a woven wire fence with your gun cocked.

Always unload your gun when you come to a barbed wire fence. Even then it is unsafe to crawl through. Hurdle it, which is best done with about a fifteen yard run; tunnel under it when a pocket knife will come in handy or go around.

No good hunter ever shoots a rabbit when quail hunting except as a favor to the owner of the land. Rabbits nibble green corn stalks in the spring of the year and otherwise damage crops.

If you are entirely sure that you killed a bird and the dog can't find it, catch him and beat him over the ears with your fist. This always increases his imagination, which is just as essential in a hunting dog as in the master.

Always leave a male and a female out of every large covey to provide a brood for next season. It don't make so much difference about the small coveys.

Never allow a dog to ride in the wagon. A dog is not fit to hunt unless he has to run at least ten miles before he goes into the field. He ought to run equally as far after the hunt to keep him from cooling off too quickly.

Never start out without a bottle of ipecac. Most of the snakes are in their holes, but you might encounter one that hadn't found his, or hers, respectively.

Never start out with a gun weighing over nine pounds. By night it will be heavy enough for any kind of game to be found in these parts.

The carrying power of a quail is double its own weight. This means that it can fly away with six or seven ounces of No. 8 shot.

If a man refuses to let you hunt on his land invite him out behind the barn and ask him if he won't have a little.

Remember that statistics show that fully one half the game killed cannot be found.

Remember also that the birds are very small and the guns double choked this year, so that it is not as easy to kill forty-nine with fifty shells as it was three years ago this fall.

If there are four in the party and a single bird gets up no more than two should shoot at it. More than two loads of shot are likely to mutilate it, making it difficult to divide equitably.

People usually need that of which they have the least. Adair county needs good roads and a trip over the county in the early spring will show conclusively that she has but little of them. The man who can inspire the county with the energy and the determination to build substantial roads will have become the best friend our people ever had. We need them and we need them badly. They are as great a

necessity as good barns, good residences and good fences. For the reason that they are paid for in taxes makes the building of them unpopular. If a man had to pay for his new barn by having the sheriff call on him with the carpenter's bill, there would be fewer barns built, though they would cost no more nor would they be worth a cent less to the owner. It is really not the cost of good roads that hurts, but it is the unpopular way of paying for them that keeps down the cause. And why should the manner of paying the bill make any difference? But so wags the world.

ANARCHY AT HOPKINSVILLE.

The intimidation of the people, the cowardice of the courts, the failure of officers to do their duty and the contemptible demagoguery of politicians that allowed the perpetrators of the outrage committed at Princeton, about a year ago, in the destruction of tobacco warehouses by armed outlaws and the same negative and wishy washy investigation of later outrages, culminated Friday night in a band of anarchists, red handed and masked, riding into the city of Hopkinsville, dynamiting property, intimidating the people, shooting up the town. Great as the outrage is shamelessly as it was conducted it was but the natural outgrowth of the failure of the law to punish minor offense of similar nature, that has been going on in that section for a year. No greater crime has ever been committed in Kentucky than the one at Hopkinsville. It is a crime against the age we live in, against civilization. It is a crime that brings the blush of shame to the cheek of every honest Kentuckian. It must be the parting of the ways. Either anarchy and lawlessness must rule and every man with force must protect his own rights, the Court Houses be torn down and courts abolished, or else, there must be a reign of law and the felons and outlaws who committed this crime, (not against the tobacco trust) but against the State of Kentucky must be brought to speedy justice. Every citizen must determine now whether he will stand for law or anarchy. The Society of Equity, composed as it is a majority of good men, must use its utmost efforts to bring to the bar of justice every man in the Hopkinsville mob, or stand convicted at the bar of public opinion as guilty of breeding felons and outlaws. —E-Town News.

Badly Mixed Up.

Abraham Brown, of Winterton, N. Y., had a very remarkable experience; he says: "Doctors got badly mixed up over me; one said heart disease; two called it kidney trouble; the fourth, blood poison, and the fifth stomach and liver trouble; but none of them helped me; so my wife advised trying Electric Bitters, which are restoring me to perfect health. One bottle did me more good than all the five doctors prescribed." Guaranteed for blood poison, weakness and all stomach, liver and kidney complaints, by T. E. Paull, druggist, 50c.

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BRAIN LEAKS.

Determination and doubt never compromise.

But you needn't put off returning thanks for a whole year.

A man is always willing to listen when he is in deep trouble.

Some people demand personal liberty and then insist that it is a license.

But, after all, those who are only thankful one day in the year are supremely selfish.

When a man wants an excuse for meanness he usually begins by criticising the churches.

Christmas kept with the pocket-book spirit can never equal the Christmas kept with the heart.

We are just hoping that Santa Claus will bring us a pair of suspenders that a nineteen-year-old son can not wear.

Talk about bravery! What's the matter with the courage a young fellow musters up the first time he gets into a barber's chair?

A whole lot of trouble would be avoided if people merely kept going straight ahead instead of dodging around to see where trouble is.

If it is lying to tell the children about Santa Claus we are going to be a liar just as long as there are children who will listen and believe.

When buying Christmas presents worries you it is a sign that neither you nor the recipients are going to get much good out of the presents you send.

It is easy to advise people to "buy Christmas goods early," but who of us can refrain from joining in the Christmas rush? that's half the fun of Christmas.

This is the time of year when a lot of crabbed old souls who want a chance to dodge their responsibilities begin telling us how wicked it is to keep up the old Santa Claus tradition.

IF YOU HAD NO PAPER.

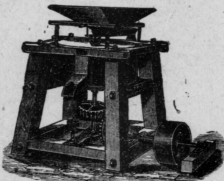
If you had no printer—no newspaper—how would you like that? Nothing happens. Nothing ever happens in a town like that. As soon as things begin to happen in a town, the newspapers come along and begin to tell about them. The newspaper boasts the town and county. It records progress and offers suggestions by the editor or the readers as to further progress.

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Mrs. Bloodgood, and actress, committed suicide by shooting herself in her room at the Hotel Stafford in Baltimore. Mrs. Bloodgood's body was found lying on the bed with a bullet hole through the roof of her mouth. Nearby lay a book entitled "How to shoot Straight" and a 38-caliber revolver with three chambers empty.

William Gray was shot and killed by his sister-in-law as he was trying to enter her house in Pendleton county, near Falmouth, in search of his brother against whom he had grudge.

The Constitutional Amendment making a tax receipt a necessary qualification for voters was snowed under at the recent election by a majority of 121,000. The vote stood 158,238 against to 36,959 for the Amendment. Only four counties went for the Amendment.

SENTENCE SERMONS.

Faith is never forced.

Strong prejudices indicate a weak mind.

No one ever gained force by putting on frills.

You can measure any creed by its fruits in character.

Your estimate of others is often a verdict on yourself.

He who does what he can, can soon do what he would.

Some mistake coveting sin's profits for zeal against him.

The power of foes without depends on fears within.

Sacred things are those that serve life in a worthy way.

Hidden in every vice we plant lies the seed of our own punishment.

You cannot win men from glistening sin by a gloomy salvation.

The venomous tongue cannot cover its guilt by calling it candor.

The abuse of worship as an end does not prevent its value as a help.

One of the worst hypocrites is he who appears to prosecute sin while he is accepting its retainers.

There is not a little comfort in remembering that the man who poses as an angel goes to join them shortly.

The man who tries to preserve his virtues by putting them in a vault always augments his vices by circulating them.

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SANTA CLAUS.

Some genius has said the saddest day in the life of a child, is the one on which he finds the fairy tales are a myth and Santa Claus a beautiful fiction.

The stern realist comes tramping and tromping down the ways of romance in hob-nailed boots, and insists that our ideals and myths are silly. The realist is like the Pilgrim Fathers, who tore off all the adornments from their belief, and left nothing but nasal Psalms, baked beans and codfish balls for the hungry soul of the poetic.

Generally speaking, this may be sensible, but when you set to work earning and spending for the joyous season, much that is pure and beautiful and unworldly in your nature is blotted or crowded out. The old holidays, with their store of memories, pathetic or jolly, the pleasure of making others happy, or of keeping alive a dear, sweet illusion the cold blooded realist pass up, but he is wrong and the small folks still have a word to say, and it is Santa Claus ever and always.

When Marie Antoinette, grow bored and impatient, passed up the old traditions of the French Court, she paved her way to the scaffold, and the subsequent age of reason, which was an age of idiots and madmen followed. Hands off of Santa Claus!—Somerset Journal.

MADE NO PROMISE.

A dispatch from Frankfort to the Louisville Times says that 500 Lexington Republicans are making life a burden to Auditor F. P. James, because he appointed C. M. Barnett State Fire Marshal instead of Stanley Millward, to whom it is alleged, he had promised the place. When Mr. James was shown a copy of the daily paper containing an article asserting that he had promised the office to Millward on the floor of the convention and had failed to live up to the promise, and had appointed Barnett, Mr. James said most emphatically that he had made no such promise and that he had not authorized any one else to make such a promise. He had, however, agreed to ratify a promise made by George Welch, of Danville, which was to the effect that Mr. Barnett was to be Fire Marshal, and that in the appointment he had only fulfilled his agreement. Mr. James said he regretted the misunderstanding as he had the very highest regard for Mr. Millward personally, and would be glad to honor him, and to have him connected with his office if it were in his power to do so. The place is worth \$2,400 a year. All who know Mr. James will bank on his statement that he never made the promise to Millward. It may be, however, that some enthusiastic friend of the Auditor unknown to him, made the pledge.

Triplet & Eubank have removed their undertaker's goods to their store on the north side of the square. 5-2t.

COSTLY XMAS GIFT.

A few years ago Daniel O'Day, one of the Standard Oil millionaires wanted to get a Xmas gift for his wife that would be absolutely unique. It was to be something in way of jewelry. Being a man of good taste, costly stones set in a showy way—the sort of things most rich men are pleased to see on their wives—did not appeal to him. So he asked Richard Brooks, a sculptor, to design him something original and artistic. The result is the necklace, composed of medallions portraits in yellow gold of the six O'Day children—each portrait on 22carat disc about the size of a nickel. Five of the medallions are joined together by oddly wrought links of reddish gold, while the sixth, that of the youngest child, hangs from a chain in which the monogram O D appears.

Not a precious stone in it only the gems of which the Roman Cornelia boasted. Yet these few ounces of gold are well worth \$5,000, because the artist has given them not only that perfection of form that characterized the personal ornament of the ancient Greeks and Etruscans, but has made of them besides a strikingly beautiful group of family portrait. The necklace accomplishes the highest ideal of the jeweler to produce the greatest amount of beauty in the most limited space. It is equal to the best work of the Eighteenth century, when small objects for personal adornment reached their utmost refinement of design. The little portraits are remarkable example of exquisite modeling and breadth of workmanship.

A good living is what comparatively few men succeed in making in village or city life, and nothing is more easy of accomplishment on the farm. Besides, there is a pleasure in cultivating and increasing its products, and thus adding to the aggregate of human happiness. Why, then, should young men hesitate to be farmers? It is both profitable and honorable. It is the nearest approximation to independence that a man, as a member of society, can make. A gentleman farmer—and all farmers are, or should be, gentlemen—belongs to an order of nobility that is not indebted to place-holders for installation, and may, if he chooses, be ranked among the greatest benefactors of the human race. Let the idle young men go to work on farms, and quit seeking third and fourth rate clerkships. In short, go to farming and quit begging.

Gov. Hughes, of New York, says he will not stand for renomination and that if he continues in public life it would be because the republicans elected him president of the U. S. He will be out of the limelight for four years at least, for Roosevelt or some democrat will occupy the White House for the next term certain.

THIRTY SNOWS.

There will be thirty snows in this vicinity this Winter. This prediction is based on the old reliable bit of folk-lore that the number of snows during any Winter will be equal to the number of the day of the month on which the first snow falls. The first snow in this section fell Saturday, November 30.

It was not much of a snow, to be sure, but it was sufficient to furnish a basis for the prediction. Saturday morning, snow fell in big flakes for some time. It melted, however, as it came in contact with the earth. Later in the day, the snow changed into rain and sleet.

The committee, consisting of Attorney-General Hays, Auditor S. W. Hager and Treasurer H. M. Bosworth, Saturday clipped the coupon off \$27,000 worth of bonds and threw the bonds into the fire the last of the bonded indebtedness of Kentucky was paid, and for the first time in 105 years the State became free of debt. The bonds were issued years ago and were a part of the \$1,000,000 debt which rested upon the State when Governor Beckham came into office. When the United States Government paid over to the commonwealth a few years ago the \$1,300,000, war claim the bondholders would not surrender them, and the money has been kept in the Treasury to pay the bonds for several years.

Here's Good Advice

O. S. Woolver, one of the best known merchants of Le Raysville, N. Y., says: "If you are ever troubled with piles, apply Bucklen's Arnica Salve. It cured me of them for good 20 years ago." Guaranteed for sores, wounds, burns or abrasions. 25c at T. E. Paull's drug store.

Indications of murder were found in the condition of the body of George Farrell, formerly a member of the police and fire departments of Paducah, which was discovered lying in a skiff near Belmont, Mo., with a jagged hole, as if made by an oar, in the top of his skull.

An attempt was made to blow up the jail at Williamsburg Friday night, and three men have been arrested on the charge. The deputy jailer was thrown down, but no one was injured.

Sour Stomach

No appetite, loss of strength, nervousness, headache, constipation, bad breath, general debility, sour risings, and catarrh of the stomach are all due to indigestion. Kodol relieves indigestion. This new discovery represents the natural juices of digestion as they exist in a healthy stomach, combined with the greatest known tonic and reconstructive properties. Kodol for dyspepsia does not only relieve indigestion and dyspepsia, but this famous remedy helps all stomach troubles by cleansing, purifying, sweetening and strengthening the mucous membranes lining the stomach.

Mr. S. S. Ball, of Rosewood, W. Va., says: "I was troubled with sour stomach for twenty years. Kodol cured me and we are now using it in milk for baby."

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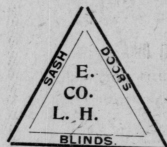
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ROWE'S X ROADS.

Mr. John Akers and Miss Sarah Carnes were married recently. Rev. Thos. Hadly officiating.

Property went low at Willis Grider's sale.

A. R. Blakey has purchased C. R. Dean's farm. Price \$9 per acre.

Rev. Twinhall's meeting closed at Liberty last Saturday with three conversions and two additions to the Baptist Church.

Wm. Cook is removing to the Willis Grider farm this week.

Frank Turner, the Sunday School man, gave the Oak Grove people two fine blackboard lessons last Sunday. Frank will come to the front as a Sunday school worker.

Ad Aaron has rented a farm from John Wheat, Denmark.

Asa M. Hammons and Lillie

Hadly were married here to-day, December the 11th. After the ceremony the couple left for Russell Springs where they will spend several days. Asa and Lillie are among our best young people. Happy lives to them.

Willis Blair and Miss Barney Hadly, Glenview, attended quarterly meeting at Oak Grove.

It is said that wealth doesn't bring happiness, but most of us are willing to try the experiment.

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Week's Happenings--News Important or Otherwise as Reported By Our Corps of Correspondents.

GRADYVILLE.

Dr. L. C. Nell moved into his new dwelling last week.

Strong Hill is working on his blacksmith shop.

Albert Parson was at Columbia a day or so of last week.

Porter Flowers is doing some carpenter work for L. Bardin, of Leatherwood, this week.

Zed Akin and wife, of Sparks-ville, visited relatives at this place a few days of last week.

Mrs. Laura Coffey, of Columbia, and Miss Bettie Smith, of this place, were the guests of Mrs. Ella Robertson one day last week.

Perry Hutchison, of Columbia, was here Monday and Tuesday buying produce.

Rev. Mont Murrell filled the pulpit here last Sunday with a very interesting discourse.

Mr. E. T. Keltner, one of East Fork's best citizens, was in our midst last Tuesday.

Dr. Raily, of Cincinnati, an optician, accompanied by Willie Hill, have been for the past ten days canvassing this community for spectacles with very good success.

Mr. Warren Sexton, one of the best farmers and business men, of Weed, started for McGregor, Texas, on a visit. He says if he likes the Lone Star State he will move there next fall.

Mr. Robert O. Keltner bought last week the farm known as the Keltner farm from J. J. Hunter for the consideration of \$800. Mr. Keltner will not move to his farm.

Geo. H. Nell is on the Louisville market this week with a car load of hogs, sheep and cattle.

Mr. Charles Herfford, of Bliss, was in our midst one day last week looking after lumber, preparatory for building a mill house in his town. We suppose Charlie thinks there is more money in the milling business under this administration than there is in trading. Success to him in his new enterprise.

Dr. S. A. Taylor, of Glensfork, who was called to the bedside of Mr. J. W. Thompson, of Milltown, last Friday stopped for night with your reporter. We certainly was glad to see him and to have the pleasure of spending a few hours. The occasion would have been much more enjoyable if he had brought Miss Leda and Samuel with him.

Mr. W. R. Sexton, the well-known painter, of Columbia, is doing some nice work this week on Mr. J. A. Diddle's residence. So soon as that job is completed he will paint the Wilmore Hotel.

Our school closed last Friday. We must say in honor of Mrs. Shirley and her daughter that this school has been a success from start to finish. Our children have all learned fast, not the least bit of trouble has there been during the term, as your reporter ever heard of. The exercises of the day were good. The contest of recital between the young ladies was just fine. In this contest Miss Linna Thomp-

son, a daughter of Prof. E. V. Thompson, was awarded the premium. Several other young ladies received nice presents. The school days will long be remembered by every pupil.

On last Monday morning bright and early Mr. Jake Esters, of Red Lick, was on our streets trying to get conveyance to Greensburg. Mr. Strong Hill is always ready to accommodate every body, provided there is a little money in sight. Mr. Hill accepted the proposition and accompanied Mr. Esters to Greensburg. Mr. Esters is one of Metcalfe's staunch republicans and was en route for Frankfort to hear the inaugural address. Mr. Hill says Mr. Esters informed him it was through his influence ping in Columbia Wednesday.

There will be a series of meeting at this place, beginning the 29th conducted by Bro. Campbell and Walbert.

Dunk Murphey who had his hand mashed a few days ago is getting better.

J. F. Gilpin and son Austin, made a business trip East Fork Friday.

Rev. T. J. Campbell preached excellent sermon at Antioch Sunday.

Jewel, the little daughter, of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Harvey, has been quite sick for several days.

Zed Akin and wife were visiting friends at Gradyville Sunday.

Dr. L. C. Nell was here on business this week.

Tom Yates and daughter, of Metcalfe Co. were here one day this week.

Jim English passed here one day this week enroute for Cumberland county.

Jim England, while working at a saw mill, got two of his fingers cut off one day last week by a saw.

Joel Darnell was here this week doing some repair work on Wooten and Co's mill.

Charlie Herfford, of Bliss, was here one day this week looking after lumber.

The Wolford Bros. were here one day this week looking after some timber.

W. L. Gadberry made a business trip to Gradyville Saturday.

THURLOW.

Odie Patrum sold 110 barrels of corn to A. R. Perkins for \$2.00 per barrel. Mr. Perkins sold the corn to Robt. McKinney for \$2.50.

Corn is selling now at \$3.00 per barrel.

Mr. A. W. Paxton, of Bliss, was transacting business in Greensburg, a few days of last week.

J. E. Loy and family, were visiting at B. F. Loy's, Greensburg, Saturday and Sunday.

Our school will close Friday the 13th.

Misses Ada Henderson, Ruth Helm and Claudye Dawson; Messrs David McAnhan, Noah Blakeman, and John Briggs and Dr. W. B. Helm rendered some

excellent music at Mr. Sidney Dawson's, Saturday.

H. H. Moss has purchased a farm on South Fork, known as the Esq. Sam Blakeman farm, and he will move to it this week.

Mr. Billie Jones and family, were visiting at Mrs. Alice Arnett's Sunday.

Miss Maude Dawson who is teaching school at Glenview, spent Saturday and Sunday at home.

Rev. W. H. C. Sandidge of Bliss, passed through here Monday enroute for Brentwood, where he will begin a series of meetings.

O. A. Coffey and family, of Crail Hope, will move near this place this week.

Dr. W. B. Helm and daughters, Misses Blanche and Edna, started Friday to Glenview, to visit relatives.

Mr. Julius Hartfield and Miss Luna Paxton were married Nov. 23, Rev. W. H. C. Sandidge officiating. Immediately after the ceremony the bride and groom accompanied by many friends repaired to the home of the groom where a bountiful supper awaited them. They were greeted by quite a number of relatives and friends and the evening was delightfully spent. The writer heartily extends congratulation and wishes them a long and happy life.

DIRIGO.

Venus Royse is thought to be some better at this writing.

Dr. Raily and Willie Hill paid our section a call last Friday and thus gave our people, who wear glasses a chance to have their eyes tested by specialists.

Mr. S. C. Neat, the up-to-date grocery drummer, of Garlin, called on our merchants one day last week.

J. D. Firquin who is teaching the Independence school is at home sick this week. He has one month yet.

J. S. Young, Burksville, was here Tuesday.

Messrs. Campbell and Stotts have sold one of their saw mills to Dr. G. A. Lacy for \$600.

Keep Your Bowels Open

It is a noticeable fact, and one which any doctor will verify that people who suffer most often from disease are the ones who have the most difficulty in keeping their bowels open. Regular bowel action is half the battle of health.

People who have a tendency to constipation must of necessity use something to help nature along. This should not be a violent aid like salts or purgative waters, cathartic pills or powders, but a syrup liquid that will oil the intestines and membranes that it comes in contact with. Children, women and weak people generally should never be given a strong physic, as it weakens the system and it is futile for the strongest person because the relief is but for a day, and then the reaction sets in and you are worse off than before.

What is needed is a prompt but gentle laxative. People have been taking it for sixteen years and it is better liked by more people every year. The reason is that it oils a want. It is unlike anything else. It contains no sugar in constipation, dyspepsia, indigestion, liver trouble, biliousness, flatulency, sour stomach, weak stomach, bloated stomach and such ills that a cure of any of these ailments is absolutely guaranteed. A bottle costs but 10 cents or 8¢ and is worth a hundred times that to any sufferer.

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